

News Release

Mammoth Community Water District
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Water District Plans Available for Review

The Mammoth Community Water District's Draft 2025 Urban Water Management Plan and 2026 Water Shortage Contingency Plan updates are available for review and comment.

Mammoth Lakes, California – The Mammoth Community Water District (MCWD) invites interested stakeholders to review and provide comments on a 20-year water supply outlook plan for the Town of Mammoth Lakes (Town). The intention of the 2025 Urban Water Management Plan (UWMP) is to ensure the availability of adequate reliable water supplies for the Town's forecasted buildout. The UWMP discusses current and potential future water supplies and demands and actions to be taken in response to future drought conditions.

The District will also update the existing Water Shortage Contingency Plan (WSCP) for consistency with the 2025 Urban Water Management Plan. The WSCP details how the District intends to act in the case of water shortage conditions. Stakeholders are also invited to review and provide comments on the Draft 2026 WSCP.

The Draft UWMP and WSCP are available on the District's website <https://mcwd.dst.ca.us/>, the Mammoth Lakes Public Library, or at the District office located at 1315 Meridian Blvd., Mammoth Lakes. Public hearings to discuss the 2025 UWMP and the WSCP will be held at 5:30, May 21, 2026, at the District's office, 1315 Meridian Blvd, Mammoth Lakes, CA 93546, and via video/teleconference meeting. Please see the two attached Notices of Public Hearing for details on joining the public hearing or submitting comments.

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MCWD provides water and wastewater utility service to the Town of Mammoth Lakes and surrounding areas. MCWD strives to provide reliable, affordable utility service to our customers and to conduct our operations in a manner reflecting our stewardship role. We encourage our customers to practice responsible use of our limited water resources, and to take advantage of the information and services available to support this goal.

**Mammoth Community Water District
Notice of Public Hearing Regarding the Intent to Adopt
the 2025 Urban Water Management Plan**

The Mammoth Community Water District (District) will be holding a public hearing regarding its draft 2025 Urban Water Management Plan (UWMP) at 5:30 p.m. on May 21, 2026, at the District office, 1315 Meridian Blvd., Mammoth Lakes, California 93546. The purpose of the UWMP is to ensure that the water supplier has an appropriate level of water supply reliability sufficient to meet the needs of its customers during normal, dry, and five consecutive dry years within a 20-year planning horizon. The UWMP describes water supply, water demand, and specific measures implemented to reduce water usage. The Urban Water Management Plan must be updated and adopted every five years.

The public is invited to provide comments during the hearing in person at the District office or by the remote attendance methods provided below. For members of the public interested in viewing and having the ability to comment at the public hearing via Zoom, an internet-enabled computer equipped with a microphone and speaker or a mobile device with a data plan is required. Use of a webcam is optional. You also may call in to the hearing using teleconference without video. Members of the public who wish to participate in the hearing may do so by joining the following Zoom Videoconference Meeting: <https://zoom.us/j/7609342596> (meeting ID: 760 934 2596) OR join via teleconference by dialing 1-669-444-9171, 760-934-2596#

Copies of the draft 2025 UWMP are available for public inspection at the District office, on the District website, www.mcwd.dst.ca.us, and at the Mammoth Lakes Public Library at 400 Sierra Park Road, Mammoth Lakes, California.

Comments, concerns, or suggested revisions on the draft 2025 UWMP must be submitted by close of the public hearing on May 21, 2026. In addition, oral comments may be submitted on the plan during the hearing. Correspondence prior to the hearing may be transmitted to:

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UWMP
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Mammoth Lakes, CA 93546

Email: mdraper@mcwd.dst.ca.us
Subject: UWMP

**Mammoth Community Water District
Notice of Public Hearing Regarding the Intent to Adopt
the 2026 Water Shortage Contingency Plan**

The Mammoth Community Water District (District) will be holding a public hearing regarding its draft 2026 Water Shortage Contingency Plan (WSCP) at 5:30 p.m. on May 21, 2026, at the District office, 1315 Meridian Blvd., Mammoth Lakes, California 93546. The draft 2026 WSCP provides measures for conserving water when the District water supply is in a shortage condition due to drought or other emergencies.

The public is invited to provide comments during the hearing in person at the District office or by the remote attendance methods provided below. For members of the public interested in viewing and having the ability to comment at the public hearing via Zoom, an internet-enabled computer equipped with a microphone and speaker or a mobile device with a data plan is required. Use of a webcam is optional. You also may call in to the hearing using teleconference without video. Members of the public who wish to participate in the hearing may do so by joining the following Zoom Videoconference Meeting: <https://zoom.us/j/7609342596> (meeting ID: 760 934 2596) OR join via teleconference by dialing 1-669-444-9171, 760-934-2596#

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Comments, concerns, or suggested revisions on the draft 2026 WSCP must be submitted by close of the public hearing on May 21, 2026. In addition, oral comments may be submitted on the plan during the hearing. Correspondence prior to the hearing may be transmitted to:

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